

HOUSE BILL 1696

By Hulsey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38,
Chapter 8, relative to retired law enforcement
officers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-8-116, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

() Notwithstanding this section, a law enforcement officer who retired in good standing prior to July 1, 2016, from a Tennessee law enforcement agency and who wishes to carry a firearm that has been shipped or transported in interstate or foreign commerce, shall not be required to obtain certification from the Tennessee POST commission on an annual basis. Retired officers described in this subsection shall be required to recertify every four (4) years as provided in subsection (c).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.